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The Honorable Leonard D. Wexler
United States District Court Judge
Eastern District of New York
944 Federal Plaza
Central Islip, New York 11722

Re: United States v. Russel Algaze
Criminal Docket No. 11 CR 804

Dear Judge Wexler:

I represent Russel Algaze on the above captioned case. Mr. Algaze respectfully requests permission to travel on December 24th thru the 25th from 5:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m. to spend the Christmas holiday with his family in Brooklyn, New York.

I have spoken to AUSA Raymond Tierney who has no objection to this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracey L. Gaffey, Esq.